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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97-1.98, Applicant herewith transmits copies of the documents listed in the attached Form PTO/SB/08, which may be deemed material to the examination of the Applicant's above-identified application.

Since the present Information Disclosure Statement is being filed prior to issuance of a first Office Action on the merits, no certification under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e) or fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p) is required.

The document, CN 1246230A, was cited in a Chinese Office Action with respect to a Chinese Patent Application related to the Applicant's above-identified U.S. Patent Application. A copy of the Chinese Office Action with English translation is attached,

thereby satisfying the requirement for a concise explanation of relevance. See MPEP §609.04(a)(III).

The Examiner is requested to consider the attached documents in connection with the Applicant's above-identified application and to return a copy of the Form PTO/SB/08 to the Applicant with the Examiner's initials in the spaces provided.

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Respectfully submitted,

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